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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Robert L. Bugianesi, et al.

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For: N-BENZYL PYRROLIDINE AND N-BENZYL
AZETIDINE CARBOXYLATES, PHOSPHINATES,
PHOSPHONATES AND TETRAZOLES AS EDG
RECEPTOR AGONISTS

Art Unit:
1626

Examiner:
Anderson, Rebecca L.

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed July 1, 2008, please consider Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Information Disclosure Statement (IDS). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 13-2755.

Allowance of claims 24-28 (renumbered claims 1-5) is earnestly solicited.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on the date appearing below.

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